

STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Initially, Applicant wishes to thank the Examiner for the interview with Applicant's representative, Dominic S. Lindauer, on June 24, 2008.

During the interview, Applicant's representative presented arguments distinguishing the claims from the cited references. In particular, Lamming's apparent simultaneous bridging between the two networks and lack of stochastic modeling of the dynamic network.

Several proposed claim amendments were also discussed during the interview. Applicant's representative understood the Examiner to tentatively agree that the claims, amended as proposed during the interview, would be allowable over at least the references of record. Accordingly, Applicant herein amends claim 1 in the manner discussed during the interview.

Claims 1-8 are believed to be allowable for at least the reasons discussed during the interview.